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Battle For Vital Gap Blazes To Furious

Crescendo As Allies Clear Huns From Foothill Strongholds

The Germans have spared no effort to make the gap impregnable, and are now battling desperately to stave off a disaster similar to that which overtook their Sangro winter

vertook their Sangro winter ine.

Mount Camino is likely to beome as famous a name as Longtop Hill in Tunisia. It lies 
routehed like a lion with the flatertile plain of the Garigliand 
railey all-round it.

About four miles wide, its peaks stand sentiles wide, its peaks stand sentules wide, its peaks and sentules wide, its peaks stand sentules wide its peaks stand sentules wide the control of the longtrangit, valley that points to

WATCHED CAPTURE

# 'FIFTH' CRASHING OPEN

FROM DAVID BROWNE, REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Allied H.O., North Africa, Saturday THE BATTLE FOR THE MIGNANO GAP IS TONIGHT BLAZING TO A FURIOUS CRESCENDO. FIFTH ARMY INFANTRY MEN, FOLLOWING UP THE INCESSANT HAIL OF SHATTERING ARTILLERY FIRE. ARE NOW ASSAULTING THE SOLIDLY ENTRENCHED MOUNTAIN DEFENCES EXTENDING ON BOTH SIDES OF THE IN-OWN OF MIGNANO TO ROME.

Once a gap has been breached, Fifth Army armour can shake itself loose along the road to Rome.

Both British and American troops are in the fight, and they have already cleared the Germans from some of their footbill positions.

South of the highway, the Allies already hold communiting positions on the heights of Monte Cassiman on German positions opposite.

The Germans, loosened from the heights by General Clark's earth-shaking barrage, were finally dislodged by the bayonets of the infantry scrambling once the steep rocky slopes under murderous fire.

Across the highway guarding the other side of the gap are two mountains rising above the 2,800-ft. Cassino. They are the 3,800-ft. Mount Cesima.

ABOUT MOUNT CESIMAN.

The Germans have spared no force to make the gap impres-AND ROAD LEADING THROUGH THE TOWN OF MIGNANO TO ROME.

SMOKE SEEN 250 MILES OFF

## Leipzig Fires Are Out Of Control

WASTATING fires, apparently blazing out of con-rol, were last night sweeping Leipzig, important ferman industrial city of 700,000, one-time home World Fair, more than 12 hours after the 1,500saturation air assault carried out by wher Command

BREMEN, Friesland, Calais and Hilversum Radio stations went off the air early last night—usual pre-

485,000

Are Killed

In Berlin'

REPORTS circulating in German circles at Istanbul claim that

85,000 persons were killed and 200,000 injured in the

recent raids on Berlin, while 500,000 people are

while 500,000 people are homeless.

The German colony here has been instructed to put a brave face on things and appear more frequently in public.

Similar instructions from Berlin are recalled at the time of the Stalingrad disaster.—Reuter.

U.S. Beats New Ship Target

smoke canopy shrouds y irres were seen by a RAF aissance pilot who flew to city yesterday aftersome hours after the early yesterday morn-

#### RAF Bag 11 New German **Bombers**

EN Dornier 217
ers in their night
e—the raiders that
the German "fringe
attacks on Southand—were out on a
r Holland in daylight

-0 FIGHTER WIN

5.000 U.S. Officers To

'DO NOT INTERFERE,'

SWEDES TOLD THE Nazis have curtly rejected the Swedish government's protest against the arrest of all non-duciding men students of Oslo University, Berlin Street, another 23,000 and the rejection to the Swedish Charge d'Affaires in Swedish attitude is not to be swedish attitude in the Swedish Government can be swedish attitude in not to be swedish attit



Mud Holds Up Red Army

#### **HUNS COLLAPSING** AT JLOBIN

From HAROLD KING, Reuter's Special Corresponden

Moscow, Saturday,
Multiplication of the Red Army's advance. For
the first time in four months of continuous
heavy battles the weather has temporarily put
a stop to major fighting on the Russian front—except on the two key sectors of Jlobin-Rogachev and Kremenchug-Cherkassy.

Among the peaks they captured ere those nicknamed by the coops Monastery Hill, Razorbek didge, Fairbottom Hill and three rominent heights known as Pip, queak and Wilfrid 40-MILE FRONT PUSH

Ahead, far beyond where I could climb, our troops were machine-gunning and fighting their way into caves which the Germans had converted into machine-gun nests.

ance stong the ranway through annerska. Novogeorgievsk is one more example of a powerfully fortified hashion being captured by skillul manouver rather than protracted fighting. It was taken in a double outlinking the statement of the statement

TANK ATTACKS

## Russian

#### Communique More Than 30 Places Taken

AST night's Soviet communique is tated:"During December 4
our troops fought the enemy north-west of Pro-

make a result of this fighting they captured several Inhabited localities, including a compared of the compare

BIG THREE PLANNED FOR OUICK VICTORY

## 'Germany Will Be Out By Summer

From HAROLD HUTCHINSON, B.U.P. Staff Correspondent

Washington, Saturday.

'War Of Nerves,' Say Nazis

BACK IN MOSCOW

Stockholm

Stockholm yesterday, says the B.U.P. correspondent there.

Most observers believe that a pronouncement of Allied plans for Germany, similar to which was issued after the North African conference, will follow this one.

The Germany propaganda.

The Germany is its efforts to offset the effect of the conference on opinion in Germany.

He Occupied and the Neutral all a bluff and part of the war of nerves.

"NOT PLAYING FAIR"

The lyest contribution broad state from Berth is a speech by the Naul Frest Cheft is a speech by the Naul Frest Cheft is a speech by the Naul Frest Cheft is a first from the light war meeting of the German Press.

"Our carenies are not playing "They represent military measures which we have to take present the control of the carenies are not playing measures which we have to take the carenies of the carenie

vesterday.

TALIN is back in Moscow from his conference with Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt in Teheran. The fact that the three Allied Leaders were able to meet in Persia is in itself a great Allied diplomatic success, according to the consensus of opinion. In

MARSHAL STALIN

Washington, Saturday.

DevastateD from the air, and with her armies torn end
of Europe from the most terrible retribution in history, Germany
will disintegrate into bloody anarchy, and the Third Reich, which
was to have lasted 1,000 years, will pass from the world stage in the
summer of next year

Teheran:

Mr. Early Is In The Dark

Washington, Saturday,
M.R. STEPHEN
EARLY, President
Roosevell's secretary, told reporters at the
White House today that he
does not expect any announcement to be made
soon on the results of the
Thurchill, Roosevelt and
Stalin.

U.S. Soldier To

Be Executed

Stalin.

being drawn in high quarters in Washington, following the conference between Churchill. Roosevelt and Stalln in Persia. There is no doubt now in been finally set at the conference for the greatest drama in high persiance of the mann history. Barope, it is stated, will soon be a support of the persiant of the persiant

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2 of an Allied Command in London under General Marnhall, U.S. Chief of Command in London under General Marnhall, U.S. Chief of Command of the C

#### Triple Air **Blows Coming**

From ROBERT VIVIAN
Reute's Special Correspondent,
Washington, Saturday,
A THREE-WAY air offensive
on Germany is expected to be one of the first fruits of the control of th

## Where's my **BOURNVILLE COCOA?**



He looks forward to his Bournville Cocwith its rich chocolate flavour—though may not be much concerned about these reasons why it does him good: (1) Earns outsinement, (2) an aid to digestio (3) contains iron, the blood enricher, (and phosphates for healthy growth, (5) and the Sunshine Vitamin D.

ONLY 9% A HALF-POUND TIN - AND NO POINTS

#### 'Events May **Avoid Invasion Need**

"EVENTS of the near future may avoid the necessity for an invasion of Western Europe," declared the "Army and Navy Journal" in Washington yesterday.

The paper did not elaborate on the statement, which was made in comment on the possibility of General Marshall going direct to London from the "Big Three" conference.

BULGAR PARTISANS SHOT Algiers Radio reports from Sofia that according to a statement made by the Bulgarian Minister of the Interior, 404 partisans have been shot and 300 arrested for acts of sabotage in Bulgaria.

CHANGE. DECISIONS, LIEVED TO HAVE TAKEN AT RECENT MEDI RANEAN CONFERENCE OF BE IMPLEMENTED ALM AT ONCE.

## "MAN O' THE PEOPLE" Writes on "Things That Matter To You and Me

Li. Germany is anxiously wondering this week-end what will be the outcome of the Churchill-Rossevelt-Stalin meeting in Telepran and how soon the Allies will carry into effect the decisions which have been taken there by "the Big Three" and their advisers. Nazi propaganda is naturally trying to "play down" the immorphism of the continued to the state of t

ondon caused by his own talk of Germany's secret weapon."
There may be some Germans who can believe that our Govern-nent has had to arrest defeatists and panic-mongers by the tens of the control of

to impose whatever terms we choose. or later we shall be compelled to state these terms in detail. For it has already been said that the Allies do not want that they do not contemplate the destruction or starvation of the German pools we have found it command the company to do business with some Italian government, in omatter how provisional, so we contemp to company to do the company to th

Let's Talk It Over

ERSONALLY I have always thought that, as soon as it were possible do soon would pay the Alless go somewhat beyond the "unditional surrender" formula ditonal surrender formula the must expect from total

what he must expect from total feet an anow soed done in the case of Japan. Tojo and his gang might possibly have hoped that, you if the worst came to the ession of some of their pre-war arouguest. The worst came to the ession of some of their pre-war arouguest. The worst present of the pre-war arouguest. The worst present the worst present of the p

ditional surrender."

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in every walk of life we have THOUGHT FOR

The worst of putting on side is that it prevents you from going straight om going

#### SECRET SERVICE NEWS

A RECONSTRUCTION of Hitler's government may be confidently expected within the next few weeks. Several well-known German diplomats will also be involved.

♠ German generals who are members of the Nazl Party are in serious conflict with their conser-vative colleagues. Result may be change of Nazi High Command with startling consequences.

Molybdenum shortage, affecting the quality of steel, threatens to frustrate success of big German rocket guns. Substitutes have not stood the test.

HIMMLER'S Gestapo files es-caped destruction in recent raids on Berlin. They are in the waults of Dr. Frick, new Nazi governor of Czechoslovakia.

Fear of parachutists is haunting German troops in occupied countries. False alarms and futile chases are common in France, Holland and Belgium.

The name of Dr. Schacht,

Krupp, German

#### IT SEEMS TO ME

#### Youth: A Confession

"It is a hard subject," wrote Abraham Cowley, "for a man to write of himself. It grates his heart to say anything of disparagement and the readers' ears to hear anything of praise." Then he began to tell about his early days. I am going to do the same, but only so far as my political ambitions HAVE become wise to all the subterfuges of evasion postponement and verbiage of Preservative comfortables who deride democratic control, and

going to do the same, out only so the day are concerned.

I begin with a confession. Once upon a time I was as hard-baked an unthinking Preservative as ever came out of an afternoon gathering of the Primrose League.

as ever came out of an the Primerse League.

I have told you before about wealthy Sir James, and the second wealthy Sir James, and the second wealthy Sir James, and the second wealthy sir James at election times, who voted, motion that was reactionary, who never made a speech in the House in his speech in the House in his speech in the House in his work of the second was a speech in the House in his work of the work of the second was a speech in the House in his work of the work of

small—just where my allegi

ance were heaven enough for me.

I did not strain at fundamentals, nor even at details. I remember that one election-leader of the strain of t

The main half of the school facing the road had a high root.

We got a box of chalks, scaled up a drain-pipe, crawled over the gutter, and then traced up and down the slates, in huge white print, the exhortation: "Vote for Sir

exhortation: Your James."
There was an inquiry, of course. We had a painful interview with the headmaster—a fine, just man, whose memory I shall always respect. But, in the week of the course of the course of the course of the course with the course of the course majority, and returned to Westminster—to wear out

## Philosopher

ago. Since then I have moved around, inside and out-

home and abroad.

Years of experience and reflection have punched home lessons I was denied in my

moment.

I learn from letters from my readers. One, just received, recalls a disaster at Moor End Colliery, Silkstone, Yorkshire, days of "glorious" Treedom, "This pit," he writes, "was suddenly flooded, and twenty-these workers were only electry years of age, or less. Electry years of the property of



Rinso is a No. 1 soap powder. 3 d. packet, one coupon

#### VIROL children are healthy children



# CIGARETTE PAPERS

A PENNORTH of genuine pre-paration does more good than a quid's worth of

WISDOM WEEK BY WEEK
If a man is of true quality
e doesn't need self-advertise-

LITTLE ALFIE ON

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TEN-SECOND TEASERS 3.—European city; well-known song-writer; six letters?

letters?
4.—Appetising dish: paiatable morsel: digestive
fare?
5.—What every airman
desires: Jamous racehorse?
6.—Girl's name: famous
jootballers surname: six ctters?
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times black: sometimes white much explorer; wellsection Literprot park; seelnoon family payor or of the color family payor or of the color family of the color family of the color family of the color family of the color of

Answer to last Sunday's poser; The eggs were 8d. a dozen.

## :"By The Lounger

Man othe Peoble.

DID YOU KNOW

\* In the North Atlantic waves have been recorded over 70 ft.

\* On Australia's Barrier Reef, clams are found with shells over a yard long?

\* America produces 442 mil-lion tons of coal every year?

\* Diameter of a hydrogen molecule is 100-millionth of an

\* In the U.S.A. 500 people are annually killed by lightning; in England about 10? \* The Spartans used iron coinage as early as 800 s.c.?

"LOVE'S COUNTRY"

LOVES COUNTRY to sory monderful with its ships of Adventure in Day, with its horizon of Happy Promise With Its horizon of Happy Promise With Its stars of Romance Progaded upon the plains of Night, but its ultrer lastes of Palisnee are an even lovelier. Love's Country is very 'wonderful with its spinneys of Heart's Content, with its lance high-fiedged with flowers of Loughter and Merriment.

BUT how levely lis grey rivers that glisten with our tears. Which have been shed poor Pain's banks and have washed away our feats. The very wonderful at seed and harvest time, so beautiful to look back upon as up Life's Road we elimbour and the starge to contemplate under Death's Silver Rain, which patters so gently on our souls which awake on Haven's Phin.—J. M.

# FELIX MENDELSSOHN and his Hawaiian Serenaders ormantic Waltzes (No. 2): we Serenade: Poem: Love's Dream ebestraum): Dernande et Reponse: ses in the Dark: Fascination - FB 2975

rmistice.
Your correspondent goes so far
to suggest that "unconditional
trender" is a convenient
rmula intended to leave us free
impose whatever terms we

TURNER LAYTON
'Bye for Now; Heavenly Music
F8 2973 CARROLL GIBBONS

VICTOR SILVESTER

and his Ballroom Orchestra
If I had my Way
The home-coming Waltz
I never mention your
Name; Jazz me Blues
FB 2979 VICTOR SILVESTER'S JIVE BAND Stompin' at the Savoy; Way down yonder in New Orleans F8 2980

## COLUMBIA



Skin disorders are often slow and difficult to heal because germs are poisoning the sore the inflammation, but sinks germs are poisoning the sore place. Until these germs have place. Until these germs have been killed there can be no healing. Dettol Ointment killed attended to grow clean, new, healthy skin.

DETTOL ... OINTMENT From all Chemists 1/5, large size 3/4, including tax
WIN 6250 IN THE RED CROSS RADIO CONTEST

#### Big 3 Planned War's Crescendo

THE United Nations have now sufficient guns, planes, tanks and ships to start a major assault in the West, and perhaps at other points, too, along the

#### BIG BUSINESS MAY CREATE NAZI SPLIT

State, believes, be put out by Berlin with the object of creating over-confidence among the Allies and so weakening the war effects of creating over-confidence among the Allies and so weakening the war effects and the state of the state of

**Everyone Doing** 

It,' Says Man

Fined £4,900 PLEADING guilty to manu-facturing 853 articles of

industrialists who are made and imminent in the Nazi Parts of the Market and the

HEY'LL LIE AND CHEAT

MAGISTRATES' POWERS

The Navy Thanks Reporter HOW "The People's" Naval Correspondent with the Mediterranean Fleet helped to

Mr. Helliwell," the repor

THEY TALKED TOO MUCH

#### And It Only Goes Half As Farl

WIVES in Court:
WHEN Lord Woolton made
his rationing Orders he
forgot that little men often
eat twice as much as big men.

And HUSBANDS:
WHEN I saw the man y
nearly married my
I realised how lucky she
I had come on the scene in
nick of time.

'SHADE IN

JAILED

DARKNESS'

"A SHADE coming out of the darkness, a creaking of stairs, and then this horrible thing happening—I can quite imagine the state of terror aroused," said Mr. Justice

Birkett at Birmingham Assizes a painter, to five years' penal servitude on four charges of burglary and two of attempted

Separated Wives May Get 'New Deal' Half Home-More Money FROM A LEGAL CORRESPONDENT A LTHOUGH women have so far failed to make good a legal claim to the savings effected in housekeeping money, there is under consideration an amendment of the law which will give a big concession to wives. When husband and wife are genarated by order of a court Grand

#### Disabled Must Get Jobs. Says Mr. Bevin

MR. BEVIN yesterday revealed his plans to provide jobs for men and women disabled in the Services or in

GOLDEN DAYS ON THE FARM

# Some Workers Get

ORKERS on co-operative farms in carning as much as £17 a week in farms have a basic wage of about £3 ss.

This startling fact is regaled in the roport of the realed in the roport of the control of the

#### LONDON TO HAVE **BURNS LIBRARY**

• There is no glamour in their job. They don't smile sweetly and stroke gently jewered brows. Call them "angels of mercy" and more likely than not they'll throw things at you.

Their job is in the front line in Isaly.
There's no mock heroics about them.
They'd much sooner be at home.
Romance becomes realism when mutilated men have to be tended.

## These Are Britain's Front-Line Nurses

By REX NORTH

(Representing the Combined British Press)

HEN shells are criss-crossing overhead and bombs dropping, saving lives is just grim hard work, as grim as the job of firing the guns. When you are sleeping under canvas in sodden blankets, because everything with a roof on is needed for the injured, you even cease to feel like a woman, let alone a saint.

" BAD LUCK, CHINA"





Can Women take the place of Men in factories? Yes! Says Polly





KELLOGG'S WHEAT FLAKES



Peasant Woman Of The

Vineyards Saves An

Airman From The Hun



#### Welcome Guest

THE PRICE

OF SUCCESS

By B. L. JACOT (War Correspondent with the U.S. Army)

gesture.
"British. RAF!" Wilkins shouted. He pointed to his breast. "I was dropping those leaflets last night and was shot

#### Dots and Dashes

# LIFE'S BIG PROBLEMS

I'd give him?"

on. I'd see that he understood that there were meant things in life than 'getting to the top.'"

A Tight Corner

SMUTS CONTRADICTS CHURCHILL

Under Arrest

# We are bombing Germany now, and Goering—as one might expect—is raising a quittural howl of protest at British barbarity. And of course, his words find on the course of the words find on the course of the course

## BOOSTING AND

Sees It

#### THREE CREAT PARTNERS

THE LESSON

#### STILL SMILES

Nazi Screams Have Turned To Whines!

We Shall Erase Their

Cities!

BOMBING THE OPEN TOWNS

#### BRITAIN WORKS A MIRACLE

By

**Piers** 

England

#### AND RUBBLE

LYNDOE

TELLS YOU

THE next few days ought to satisfy the expectations which seem to be world-wide today.
Here, undoubtedly, is a black week for
Germany, not to speak of her confederates,
but even his mind will be undergoing change soon.
Even ts of unparalleled
trive that. First and remosit
those on the Russian Front,
where a sensational movement

IN this connection it is a curious fact that Germany will repeat

BRIEF BIRTHDAY INDICATIONS

HOW WE ALL STAND THIS WEEK





POWDER





champine desser to the transfer of the transfer dessert to the 's Grange Pippin.

or splendid 3-4 year bash trees covered with or splens for early fruiting, and one Wortor Pearmain for pollinating—four bush in all for 35% carriage paid. settes, all fine 3-4 year bush trees: COX'S

THBERT'S FAMOUS VEGETABLE SEEDS ARE & G. CUTHBERT, 13. Gotts Oak, Her



Look for your birth dat MAC(1) to APBH 20.—
Monday is best day in spite of upsets in private life. Contine expediture to essentials. Tuesday spoiled by disputes. Tuesday spoiled by disputes, except the capter of the week produce move than average are Reckies moves on Monday likely to capte losses. Tuesday move of the week promises financial benefit of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the week promises financial benefit and the capter of the capter o

GIVE 'EM GINGER

-----By "Housewife "-----MISS, good fare, ginger, Granny's hint on what she used to dothe letter "G" gives you pient, when the letter "G" gives you pient, when the letter "G" gives you pient, when the state goodles we have, a timeniar household tip, and how you making do with your elottes, when the making do with your elottes, when the state of the caster, by the most pient and the pient with the caster in the pient with the pie FRIED PILCHARDS

PATTERN SERVICE

FRUIT FILLING

FOR MEATLESS DAY

ANSWERS TO TEASERS

RACING WITH THE LID OFF

#### AMERICAN PUNTERS WHO DIDDLED THE BOOKIES

By LARRY LYNX

stude men who came to this country to try their luck against British owners.

British owners, a second the Atlantile they breastly to the country as batch of annuals of all acet, the best of which were Ennuary, little Proposed and Control of the Country of the

NO IRISH RACING UNTIL BOXING DAY

Cocking a Deaf 'Un

NAAS WINNERS

from Mix (co-fav.). Perfect Prince, Roys Down.

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3.0-ALL SHELL (E. Hannlean), 16-1.

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Football Results & Tables

HOW THEY STAND

Accommodation is limited to 80,000, and prices are 21s. 10s. 6d., 7s. 6d. and 6s., with standing at 2s. 6d. His First Trip To Town

By RINGSIDER
TOMORROW'S Albert Hall
Ashow introduces a new boxer
to London crowds in the person
of Jimmy Molloy of Liverpool,
Jimmy is having his first fight
out of Merseyside, and his meeting with Harry Mizler is not the
least interesting of a line bill of
fights.

COULDN'T COUNT!

A TOU enthusiacite speciator
held up the ChelseaBrighton game for a few
minute yesterday. He jumped
with the refered and He jumped
with the refere Capt. M. H.
Jones, who said later: H.
Jones, who said later: He
brighton upporter. He said to
the 'Brighton are playing to
men. "Brighton are playing to
men."

St. Centry.

TRONS-COUNTRY
In a friangular cross-country match over we miles as Wendover, RAF (Hallon) won with 80 points from London Pine Peace (85). Pire Force vere willions George Houst, their champion, but they provided the first, their champion, but they provided the first the distance to 30 min. 5 sec.

SATURDAY'S	FIXTURES	AND	FORECASTS
EAGUE (North)	NOTT'M FOR. V.	Lincoln	READING v Millwell

LEAGUE (West) BRISTOL C. v. Aberam LOVELL'S v. Bath Swanses v. CARDIFF SCOTTISH (South)

"THE PEOPLE'S" PONTOON TABLE

NIL-TIME SCORES IN PARTNESSES

NICH | SOUTHS LEAGUE (SOUTH)
| 2 | ALBOO | 12 | HISBERIAN (1)
| 2 | ALBOO | 12 | HISBERIAN (2)
CLYDE	13	87, MIRADE	10	
OUTS	14	10	10	10
OUTS	10	10	10	
OUTS	10	10	10	
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OUT HOW THEY STAND				

FOOTBALL LEAGUE (WEST)

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BATH (1) 1 COVELL'S (0) O

CARDIFF (0) 1 SWAMSEA (0) O

HOW THEY STAND HOME AWAY

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CULLIS KNOCKED OUT. BUT ENGLAND DREW

By LONG ACRE

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smallened from feet an interiors, complex, had sylvery
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seeds were leading 2-1, and then
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Scotiand had been the superior side in the first half, when rauss gave them the lead with a remarkable cross shot, and for long riods the quick tackling of the Scotlish defence kept the England wards at bay.

Just before the interval Cullis was struck in the throat by the ball and was carried of unconscious. He was unable to resume and Welsh went to centre-half to give a fine display in holding up the Scottish inside forwards.

the Scottish inside forwards. England battled gallantly, but 73 minutes suffered a misfor-ne when Leslie Compton turned to his own net a shot from vingstone. Lawrence and then came Balmer's meational equaliser which de-tived the Scots of a victory they served, for their first-half

HIS PIGEONS NOT WANTED

YOUR SATURDAY DOGS

or, Royal Road.

Mensacolas Spitfire, od Guide, Rio Castella, iter of Rochester, blumbia, Torard Peg. plain's Fairy, Brocade, \*Abbey Snowarop.
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SLEDON.—Fine Keeper, Rastus,
Quaint Primroue, Bold Invader,
TEAP FIVE.

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#### 'Smile, Boys' Nazi Style

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Hitler and his generals are nonriced by the lack of the German soldiers on the Russian front. Heaven only knows what they have to laugh about coroling to Prauda" (unded by Reuter) is sending 300 'military humorists' to the Comment of the Comment of

#### PARCEL POST BAN IN GERMANY

A sixteen - year - old Czech cl was one of five young ople hanged from a tele-aph pole, according to re-rts reaching Czech quarters London yesterday.

an goods train had been blown. Thee bodies were left hanging three days "as a warning: three days "as a warning: Since the start of regular RAP dids on Berlin, sabotage in themia and Moravia has in-ased considerably, and there we been many reprisal executably the Gestapo. After each expense of the considerably and the development of the considerably and the development of the considerable of the conside

Morocco Radio, quoting Swiss reports, said yesterday that the German Official Travel Agency in the main railway station in Milan had been blown up.

Nazis Hang Czech

HE scething cauldron of Europe in revolt is driving the Nazis to indiscriminate execution of children in a futile effort to suppress it.

More about the new

SALT FISH

The next time you wiit the failmonger's ask for some of the Salt Fish at 10d, a lb, which Canada and of other fish. You will find it cheap and a change, and it heavily salted to keep it in condition during its long journey, so it must be soaked in water for about 24 hours before using. Ask your failmonger how long he has soaked the fish. If he says less than 24 hours, finds he is sands how. On my and a some soaked the fish. If he says less than 24 hours, finds he is sands how. On my and a soaked the fish. If he says less than 24 hours, finds he is sands how for the says the same of the s

School Children

FREE BEDS

IN TUBES

FOR TROOPS

They Paved A Way For '5th'

## Britons Battle For Horse-Shoe Hollow

With the Fifth Army, Saturday,

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To British troops fell the vitel task of paoing the
usy for the Fifth Army's advance at Mount
Camino. Their objective was a horse-shoe
shaped hollow at Calabritto, on the southern end of
the range, and it was covered by mortar and
machinegan fire, barbed wire, mines and booby

machine-gun fire, barbed wire, municipal traps.

But it had to be in Aliled hands before the main attack by the Fifth Army could begin. In the words of an officer, our troops had "a sticky time," but they got

ough.

The British plan was beautifully simple in outline. The British plan was beautifully simple in outside. Our troops were to go forward in two columns, one on either side of the miserable cottages of Calabritto, and occupy the whole hollow.

While the men stamped their feet in the darkness, waiting to begin, our artillery concentrated on targets all round the hollow and rained down shells with cruel accuracy in the coldness and dampness of the muddy

EUROPE A SEETHING CAULDRON

winter night.
At 10 p.m the British in-fantry moved forward. The fantry moved forward to the fact from a half-demolished pillbox the Germans fired steadily with machine-guns. The advance checked and spread out sideways, and storming parties scrambled off into the darkness to clear the machine-gunners out.

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It developed into a deadly hide and seek which lasted much of the night.

Then the left-hand column truck difficulties. They chopped heir way through barbed wire and truck anti-personnel mines.

truck anti-personnel mines.

The minefield was covered by heavy spandau fire from farm buildings away to the right, and that had to be eliminated first. By some miracle someone produced a couple of tanks, and they almost literally knocked

MINEFIELD TRACK

y dawn there was a r safe path through the the two columns were of Calabritto.

THERE Of London's
L22,809,000 deep shelters
under Tube stations are
being used as dormitories
for members of the Forces
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hedrooms at week-ends.
Hundreds of soldiers stranded
in London on Pridays, Saturdays
bed with two blankets—and a call
in the morning with shaving
satur at what time they like.

18b DETAINEE RELEASED

BAD DAY FOR THE JAPS

"Forts"

Plaster

Toulon

#### Continued from Page One

#### Fifth Crashing The Road To Rome

#### Battle For Tracks In The Jungle

AUSTRALIAN troops were yesterday closing in from three sides on Wareo, a vital jungle track junction north of Sattelberg, on the northern

# ALMOST HALF

EXPERTS here estimate that Thursday's RAF rai on Berlin has completed the destruction or damag of almost half the city.

#### Slavs Set Up Rival Government

Leipzig Burned While Berlin Shivered

HALVES RAID LOSS

IR CHIEF MARSHAL HARRIS, Bomber Command chief, has

A tricked the Luftwaffe again. While Berlivers shivered in their shelters on Friday night, and Goering's fighters massed in a 50.

mile belt to protect the capital, the RAF's great heavy bombers were devastating Leipzig, one of the greatest industrial cities of the Reich.

RAF TRICK NAZIS,

Harris's trick was a

imple one.

Mosquitoes set off first from neir bases in Britain, heading or Berlin. Behind them came great force of heavy

g was flashed.

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Berlin's defences were
mobile guns were rushed

TURNED SOUTH

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The Funkhaus, Germ
B.B.C., was destroyed
Thursday's raid, accordi
the Berlin corresponder
"Svenska Dagbladet."
Reports from this and
correspondents indicate th

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A WIVID account of warfare in the jungle—of Japanese patrols who prowl by night to feel for the throats of sleeping British soldiers and snipers who are

strapped to treetops—is given by a war corre-spondent in a cable re-leased by the New Zealand authorities yesterday. Describing his first three nights with the New Zealanders on

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phony Orchestras.

1.0—News. 1.18—Country Magazine. 1.45—Carden. 2.18—Lendon Symphony Orchestra. 2.28—Lendon Symphony Orchestra. 2.28—Sandy Macpherson. 2.58—Contestan News. 5.6—News in Welsh. 4.58—Christian News. 5.6—News

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8.6-Vera Lynn. 8.38-7 Grand Retel.

9.0-Big Ben Minute for Reflection: News.

9.0-8-18-0-bance Orchestra. 16-8-Epilogue.

16.8-Recerds. 16-19-Balfrom Orchestra.

These Men Await The Call To Arms!



THIS IS WEEK 20 - THE LAST WEEK OF RATION PERIOD No. 5 (November 14th to December 11th)

HOW TO BOIL